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TO MEET "STEPFATHER" (1943)

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Reference your telegram No. 2062[a].

FIST[KULK][1] stated the following to GRANDPAPA[DEDUShKA][11]:

1. According to his data, the FELLOHCOUNTRYLEN's [ZEMLYAKI][iii] international organisation has been formally dissolved. Actually the local FELLOWCOUNTRYLEN are continuing to work

[46 groups unrecoverable]

SHYRNA[SMIRNA][iv] took this into consideration and began to support him in good time? Judging from GRANDPAPA's story FIST spoke partly in broad hints, partly with cynical frankness. G.[D.][v] and I consider that FIST's desire to meet the head of the TRUST[TREST][vi] (henceforth "STEPPATHER[OTCHIN]"[vii]) means that he is striving to obtain an answer to the second point.

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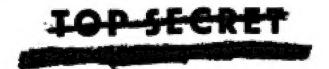
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Comments: [1] FIST

: Thomas E. DEWEY.

[ii] GRANDPAPA

: Evgenij Dmitrievich KISELEV, Soviet Consul-

General in NEW YORK.

[iii] FELLOWCOUNTRYMEN: Communists.

[iv] SHYRNA

: MOSCOT.

[v] G.[D.]

: i.e. CRANDPAPA[DEDUShKA].

[vi] TRUST

: The Soviet Embassy in WASHINGTON, D.C.

[vii] STEPFATHER

: Ardrej Andreevich CROMIKO, Soviet Ambassador

in Washington,

[viii] HAY

: Stepan Zakharovich AFRESYAN, Soviet Vice-

Consul in NEW YORK.

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